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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir,

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 19, 2002. Applicants submit that this Response is being timely filed along with a request for a three month extension of time and the appropriate fee. Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment. Should any fee be due please charge Deposit Account Number 23-0455.

Please amend the Specification as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

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BI 26. A bioadhesive composition comprising a film forming agent, pyruvate, an antioxidant, and a mixture of saturated and unsaturated fatty acids adapted to resuscitate injured mammalian cells.

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